

Monroe County Legislature Jeffrey R. Adair President

The 745,625 residents of Monroe County are represented by 29 citizen-lawmakers that embody the Monroe County Legislature. Each legislator provides unique perspectives and experiences from his or her own profession and geographic area, which ensures that all of the residents of Monroe County are properly represented.

As President of the Monroe County Legislature for the last 3 years, it has been an honor to preside over some of our most productive years. In May 2012, the Monroe County Legislature passed the 2012 Work Program with bi-partisan support. The 2012 Work Program states the Monroe County Legislature's mission, which is to utilize policies to create jobs, reduce spending, maintain or reduce property taxes, promote ethical leadership, steward public infrastructure and enhance public safety.

I am pleased to announce that in 2012, the Monroe County Legislature did just that. With bipartisan support, we reduced the fees for prepared food vendors at seasonal Farmer's Markets in order to ease the burden on these small businesses while promoting economic development. We passed the 2013 Monroe County Budget, which maintains a stable property tax rate for the ninth consecutive year, while cutting the structural deficit and preserving quality of life services. With bi-partisan support, we upheld our goal to enhance public safety by passing legislation to prohibit cyber bullying of youth in Monroe County. As we look towards 2013, we are exploring ways to expand upon initiatives we have created while seeking new ways to better serve the residents of Monroe County.

The 2013 Monroe County Directory contains a listing of elected officials, county departments, county board and commissions, the rules of the legislature and the legislative process. Please take some time to review this directory and use it as a reference for future use. For more information and an online version, please visit www.monroecounty.gov.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey R. Adair

President

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LOCATION AND HISTORY

Monroe County is located in western New York on the south shore of Lake Ontario, approximately 70 miles east of the Buffalo/Niagara Falls area. The County is the northernmost portion of the Genesee River Valley and contains one city, 19 towns and 10 villages.

The Genesee River flows north from the uplands of northern Pennsylvania to Lake Ontario. Within Rochester, the river drops in elevation over rapids and waterfalls. As early as the 1790's, this geographic feature was harnessed by settlers to power grist mills and sawmills. The combination of the fertile Genesee River Valley land and the availability of hydro-power for mills resulted in the beginning of an agricultural and grain processing economy in the earliest part of the 19th century.

In the mid 1820's, a third factor resulted in explosive development in the Rochester/Monroe County area. Construction of the Erie Canal began in 1817 and reached Rochester in 1823. This provided farmer and grain processors with low-cost access to growing western markets and Monroe County's future as a major center was assured.

Today, Monroe County has a population of over 730,000 people and is home to corporations such as Eastman Kodak, Xerox and Bausch and Lomb, as well as to smaller growing companies.

GOVERNMENT

Established on February 23, 1821 from parts of neighboring Genesee and Ontario Counties, the county was named after United States President James Monroe. The first meeting of the 43-member Board of Supervisors took place on May 8, 1821. The first County Manager was appointed by the Board in 1936. The Monroe County Charter became effective in 1967 creating the 29-member County Legislature which replaced the Board of Supervisors. In 1980, the Charter was amended to provide for the direct election of a County Executive for a four-year term beginning in 1984.

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1st District

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Greece Districts 1, 2, 16, 34, 38, 43, 44, 54, 74, 76, 84, 89, 99, 103

2nd District

Michael J. Rockow (R), 222 Ladue Road, Brockport, NY 14420 637-6204 (Home) * 753-1922 (Office) * Monroe2@monroecounty.gov Clarkson Districts 1-6 Hamlin Districts 1-10 Sweden Districts 2, 5-7, 9-11

3rd District

Mary A. Valerio (R), 43 DaVinci Drive, Rochester, NY 14624 889-9707 (Home) * 753-1922 (Office) * Monroe3@monroecounty.gov Chili Districts 1, 4-23, 25-32

4th District

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5th District

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Henrietta Districts 2, 9, 16, 24, 30, 33
Mendon Districts 1-9
Pittsford Districts 7, 12, 17, 26, 33
Rush Districts 1-4

6th District

Fred Ancello (R), 221 Meadowbriar Road, Rochester, NY 14616 663-7573 (Work) * 753-1922 (Office) * Monroe6@monroecounty.gov Greece Districts 5-12, 15, 19, 22, 23, 25, 26, 30, 31, 41, 46-50, 53, 56, 62, 72, 78, 80, 88, 96, 101

7th District

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8th District

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9th District

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10th District

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Brighton District 16
East Rochester Districts 3-6
Pittsford Districts 1-6, 8, 9, 11, 13-16, 18-21, 23, 24, 27-32

11th District

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12th District

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13th District

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14th District

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15th District

E. Daniel Quatro (R), 637 Contempri Way, Webster, NY 14580 670-9064 (Home) * 753-1922 (Office) * Monroe15@monroecounty.gov Penfield Districts 5, 8, 9, 13, 17, 22, 26, 34, 37, 40 Webster Districts 6-9, 11-13, 15, 16, 18, 19, 22, 26, 29, 37, 39, 41, 43

16th District

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City Leg District 1

17th District

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18th District

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Perinton Districts 1-3, 8, 10-13, 15-18, 21-23, 27-29, 32, 33, 35, 41, 44, 46, 49, 51-53, 55

19th District

Jeffery L. McCann (R), 87 Larkwood Drive, Rochester, NY 14626 865-7299 (Home) * 753-1922 (Office) * Monroe19@monroecounty.gov Greece Districts 3, 4, 13, 17, 18, 20, 29, 36, 37, 39, 40, 42, 52, 55, 60, 64-69, 73, 75, 77, 81, 85, 87, 92, 95, 97, 100

Parma District 1

20th District

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21st District

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22nd District

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23rd District

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24th District

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25th District

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26th District

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27th District

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28th District

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29th District

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2013 MONROE COUNTY LEGISLATURE MEETINGS

January	8

February 12

March 12

April 9

May 14

June 11

July 9

August 13

September 10

October 8

November 12

December 10

ORDER OF BUSINESS

Article IV, Section 545-14)

- A. Calling of the rollB. Moment of prayer
- C. Pledge of Allegiance to the flag
- D. Approval of the journals from previous meetingsE. Presentation of petitions and communications
- F. Proclamations
- G. Presentation of formal committee reports
- H. Public forum
- I. Consideration of local laws
- J. Consideration of motions, resolutions and notices
- K. Consideration of unfinished business

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Downtown Operations – Diana Christodaro, Assistant Deputy County Clerk, 101 COB, 753-1613, FAX 753-1650

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Mental Health Clinic for Socio-Legal Center – David L. Putney, M.S., C.R.C.,

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Mailing, Central – B-1 COB, 753-1154

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Public Health, Department of – Andrew S. Doniger, M.D., M.P.H., Director, 111 Westfall Road, Room 952, P.O. Box 92832, Rochester, New York 14692, 753-2989, FAX 753-5115

Environmental Management Council – Louise A. Hartshorn, Coordinator, 111 Westfall Road, Room, 976, P.O. Box 92832, Rochester, New York 14629, 753-5063, FAX 324-1216

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Stop-DWI Program – Peggy Duffy, Coordinator, 4110 City Place, 50 W. Main Street, Rochester, New York 14614, 753-3017, FAX 753-3023

Traffic Safety, Office of –4106 City Place, 50 W. Main Street, Rochester, NY 14614, 753-3018, FAX 753-3023

Purchasing and Central Services – Dawn Staub, Director, 200 COB, 753-1119, 753-1100, FAX 753-1104

Real Property Services and Real Estate – Timothy P. Murphy, Director, 304 COB, 753-1125, FAX 753-1192

Sheriff, Office of - *Patrick M. O'Flynn, Sheriff, 130 S. Plymouth Avenue, Rochester, New York 14614, 753-4178

Monroe Correctional Facility – Ronald Harling, Superintendent, 750 E. Henrietta Road, Rochester, New York 14623, 753-3077, FAX 753-4051

Monroe County Jail – Ronald Harling, Superintendent, 130 S. Plymouth Avenue, Rochester, New York 14614, 753-4052 (Saturdays, Sundays, Holidays, and after 5:00pm), 753-4022

Transportation, Department of – Terrence J. Rice, P.E., Director, 6100 City Place, 50 W. Main Street, Rochester, New York 14614, 753-7720, FAX 753-7730

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SPECIAL BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND AUTHORITIES

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Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board – Robert King, Ph.D., Director Agriculture and Life Science Institute, Monroe Community College, 1000 East Henrietta Road, Rochester, New York 14623, 292-2065, Michael Rockow – Legislative Representative

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RULES OF THE LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF MONROE

ARTICLE I, PREAMBLE

Section 545-1 Preamble

These Rules are intended to promote and preserve the order and dignity that mark Monroe County Legislature sessions. These Rules are to be construed by the Presiding Officer of the Legislature and the Chairpersons of its Committees to promote this tradition.

ARTICLE II, MEETINGS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Section 545-2 Organizational Meeting

In accordance with Section C2-9 of the Monroe County Charter, the Organizational Meeting of the Monroe County Legislature shall be held on the first business day following January 1 of each year following the general election at which County Legislators are regularly elected.

Section 545-3 Procedure at Organizational Meeting

A. The Clerk of the County Legislature, or in the Clerk's absence the Deputy Clerk last elected, shall act as Chairperson Pro Tem of the Legislature. The Clerk shall call the Legislators to order and call the roll, and shall then proceed to the election of a Temporary Chairperson. The Clerk shall receive nominations from the floor for such Chairperson, and when there are no further nominations, the Clerk shall call the roll of Legislators, each of whom shall answer by declaring the name of the nominated candidate of his/her choice. The Legislator receiving the most votes shall serve as Temporary Chairperson of the Legislature.

B. The Temporary Chairperson shall proceed with the invocation or prayer and a pledge of allegiance to the flag. In accordance with Section C2-4 of the Monroe County Charter, the Temporary Chairperson shall next proceed with the business of electing the President of the Legislature, from among the members of the Legislature, to serve at the pleasure of the Legislature. The Temporary Chairperson shall direct the Clerk to call the roll of Legislators, each of whom shall answer by declaring the name of the nominated candidate of his/her choice. Voting shall continue until a candidate receives the vote of a majority of all Legislators (i.e. - 15).

C. Upon the election of the President, the Temporary Chairperson shall direct a group of Legislators to escort the President to his/her chair. The President shall proceed with the election of a permanent Clerk, Deputy Clerks and Assistant Deputy Clerks, and the President shall then proceed with the regular order of business.

Section 545-4 Regular Meetings

A. In accordance with Section C2-9 of the Monroe County Charter, the Legislature shall meet on the second Tuesday of each month at 6:00 p.m. If the second Tuesday falls on a County holiday, the Legislature shall meet at 6:00 p.m. on the following business day. The Legislature may, by majority vote, reschedule a regular meeting if said meeting conflicts with an important community/government event or religious holiday. In any case, the Legislature shall not meet less than once a month. The President shall notify members of the Legislature concerning the schedule of regular meetings no later than January 1 of each year.

B. If at any meeting the Legislature has not completed all of its business by midnight, the Legislature may finish work on any item of business that is being considered at that time until deliberation on that item has been completed, at which time the President of the Legislature shall immediately and without motion from the floor recess the Legislature until 8:00 a.m. on the following calendar day.

Section 545-5 Special Meetings

In accordance with Section C2-9 of the Monroe County Charter, special meetings shall be called by the Clerk at the direction of the President or at the written direction of a majority of all Legislators (i.e. - 15). If at any meeting the Legislature has not completed all of its business by midnight, the Legislature may finish work on any item of business that is being considered at that time until deliberation on that item has been completed, at which time the President of the Legislature shall immediately and without motion from the floor recess the Legislature until 8:00 a.m. the following calendar day.

Section 545-6 Meetings to be Public

In accordance with the State Open Meetings Law, all meetings of the Legislature and its committees shall be open to the public, except when the Legislature or its committees shall meet in executive session, at which time all persons not authorized to attend such executive sessions shall be excluded. Adequate accommodations shall be made for the County Executive, other County officials, and for representation of the news media.

Section 545-7 Quorum

A quorum for all meetings shall consist of a majority of all Legislators (i.e. - 15), but a lesser number may adjourn a meeting.

Section 545-8 Securing a Quorum

In the absence of a quorum during a session of the Legislature, the Presiding Officer or a majority of members present may take all necessary measures to secure the presence of a quorum, and may direct the Sheriff of the County to compel the attendance of any absent member. Upon a finding by the Presiding Officer that a member was willfully absent without sufficient excuse, the Legislator may be censured or fined in an amount not exceeding \$50.00.

Section 545-9 Sessions to be Deemed Continuous

For purposes of considering the matters introduced at previous meetings of the Legislature, all meetings held during each two-year period, consisting of an even-numbered year and the consecutive odd-numbered year following each general election at which County Legislators are regularly elected, shall be deemed to be part of one continuous session.

Notwithstanding the first subsection of this section, all meetings held during the years 1993, 1994 and 1995 shall be deemed to be part of one (1) continuous session.

Section 545-10 Attendance

A. The Clerk of the Legislature shall record the attendance of each Legislator at every official meeting of the Legislature and its committees. The chairperson of each standing committee of the Legislature, as prescribed in Article V, Section 545-20, shall be empowered to determine if any meeting of such chairperson's committee shall constitute an official meeting of such committee.

B. The President of the Legislature shall excuse any Legislator being absent from any official meeting of the Legislature or its committees by reason of a death in immediate family of such Legislator or any absence caused by any Legislator being ordered to active military service where such Legislator is a member of an authorized military reserve unit of the United States or the State of New York. The President of the Legislature is empowered, at his/her sole discretion, to grant excused absences to any Legislator who, upon a showing of good cause to such President, was absent from a meeting of the Legislature or any of its committees.

C. The Clerk of the Legislature shall annually certify the attendance record of each Legislator to the President of the Legislature. Excused absences shall be recorded by such Clerk as being "excused" and all other absences shall be recorded as "unexcused".

ARTICLE III, THE PRESIDENT AND THE PRESIDING OFFICER Section 545-11 President as Presiding Officer

The President, or in the President's absence the Vice President, shall preside at all meetings of the Legislature. In case of the absence of the President and Vice President, the Legislators shall select a Temporary Presiding Officer in the same manner as the Temporary Chairperson is selected under Section 545-3. The Temporary Presiding Officer shall serve for the period for which he/she was elected or until the President, or in the President's absence the Vice President, returns and is able to serve as Presiding Officer of the Legislature.

Section 545-12 Powers and Duties of Presiding Officer

The Presiding Officer shall possess the following powers and perform the following duties:

- A. Preserve order and decorum.
- B. Decide all questions of order, subject to appeal to the Legislature as described in Section 545-17F.
- C. May substitute any Legislator to act temporarily as Presiding Officer.

Section 545-13 Powers and Duties of President

A. In addition to the powers and duties set forth in Section C2-4 of the Monroe County Charter, the President shall have the following powers and perform the following duties:

- (1) To appoint the members and chairpersons of all standing committees of the Legislature, to serve at the President's pleasure, and to fill all vacancies occurring in such committees, except that the President shall accept the recommendations of the Minority Leader for the appointments of Ranking Minority Member and Minority Members for each of the standing committees.
- (2) The President shall be a member ex-officio of all committees of the Legislature, and shall have the right, but not the duty, to vote on all propositions before such committees.
- B. The President shall have an office appropriate to the position in the Monroe County Office Building.

ARTICLE IV, CONDUCT OF MEETINGS

Section 545-14 Order of Business

- A. The order in which matters shall be considered by the Legislature is as follows:
 - (1) Calling of the roll
 - (2) Moment of prayer
 - (3) Pledge of allegiance to the flag
 - (4) Approval of the journal of the previous meeting
 - (5) Presentation of petitions and communications
 - (6) Proclamations
 - (7) Presentation of formal committee reports
 - (8) Public Forum: Speakers shall register with the Clerk of the Legislature prior to the calling of the roll. The President of the Legislature shall determine the length of time per speaker prior to each meeting
 - (9) Introduction of local laws
 - (10) Consideration of motions, resolutions and notices
 - (11) Consideration of unfinished business
- B. There shall be a Chaplain of the Monroe County Legislature who shall serve as the spiritual counselor for the Legislature and who shall offer the prayer at the beginning of each meeting of the Legislature. The Chaplain shall be appointed by the President to serve for one (1) calendar month during which a regular meeting of the Legislature is scheduled. The appointment by the President shall be upon the recommendation of a different Legislator each such month, alternating month-to-month between Legislators of the two major parties. The leader of each major party caucus shall determine the manner in which each caucus' recommending Legislators are chosen.

Section 545-15 Presentation of Legislative Business by the Clerk

Upon the direction of the Presiding Officer and in the Order of Business, the Clerk shall read all petitions and communications and the title of all local laws and resolutions. After the title of a local law or resolution is read, the Presiding Officer or any Legislator may request that it be read in full. Written motions which are not read by the Legislator offering the same shall be read in full by the Clerk before being offered.

Section 545-16 Debate

The rules governing debate shall be as follows, except that matters not covered by these rules shall be governed by the current edition of Robert's Rules of Order.

- A. To be recognized, a Legislator shall stand in place and shall not speak until recognized by the Chair.
- B. Debate shall not begin on a local law, resolution or otherwise debatable motion until it has been moved by a Legislator and seconded by another Legislator.
- C. A Legislator may speak as often on a question as he/she is recognized by the Chair. However, no Legislator shall speak for more than five (5) minutes in total except by permission of the Presiding Officer.
- D. No Legislator shall speak nor stand while another is speaking unless the latter yields to the former.
- E. No person shall pass between a Legislator who is speaking and the Presiding Officer.
- F. All debate and all questions shall be directed to the Presiding Officer.
- G. Those addressing the Legislative body shall refer to Legislators and members of the County administrative staff by their titles or by the prefix "Mr." or "Madam" followed by their proper names, except the Presiding Officer shall be addressed as "Mr.

President/Madam President" or "Mr. Chairman/Madam Chairman" as appropriate.

Section 545-17 Debatable Motions

Debatable motions shall be as follows:

- A. The main motion. The main motion is a motion by itself or one to adopt a local law or resolution before the Legislature. It may be amended and requires a majority vote except where otherwise required by law or these Rules. A motion may be withdrawn by its proposer at any time before a vote is taken.
- B. An amendment to the main motion or an amendment of such amendment. An amendment is a motion to change or modify the main motion or an amendment of it. An amendment shall not be amended more than once. Amendments shall be disposed of in inverse order before voting on the main motion, and require a majority vote.
- C. To commit. This motion is used to refer a matter to committee or back to committee. The motion may be amended, and requires a majority vote.
- D. To reconsider. The purpose of this motion is to reconsider a motion that was previously carried or lost. It may be made only by one who voted with the prevailing side, but may be seconded by anyone. No question can be reconsidered more than once. It may not be amended, and requires a majority vote. (Note, two (2) votes are required: first on whether the original question shall be reconsidered, and if passed, second, on the original motion.)

E. To sever. This motion is used to divide a question into two (2) or more logical parts. It may be amended, and requires a majority vote.

F. Point of order. A point of order is not properly a motion since it is used by a Legislator to object to an aspect of procedure. It is always in order, except during roll call, and requires an immediate ruling from the Presiding Officer. The form is, "Mr./Madam President, a point of order please". The Presiding Officer then says, "Please state your point of order". The Legislator then states his/her position and the Presiding Officer then sustains or denies the point of order. The form is, "I sustain (or deny) your point of order". If the Legislator is not satisfied with the ruling of the Presiding Officer, the Legislator may appeal the decision by stating, "I respectfully appeal the decision of the Chair to the Legislature". The Presiding Officer then addresses the Legislature as follows: "Shall the decision of the Chair be sustained?" At this point, debate is in order, and the Presiding Officer may discuss the issue without substituting another member in his/her place. At the conclusion of debate and upon the direction of the Presiding Officer, the Clerk shall call the full roll call. A majority or tie vote of those present sustains the decision of the Presiding Officer. The Presiding Officer shall be entitled to vote on the appeal of the decision of the Chair.

G. To discharge a Committee. This motion is used to remove a matter from consideration by one (1) or more of the Standing or Special Committees of the Legislature. It may be amended, and requires a majority vote.

Section 545-18 Motions Without Debate

The following motions are not debatable:

A. To lay on the table. This motion is used to postpone a subject under discussion to some time in the near future. It is not amendable and requires a majority vote. When a subject is to be reconsidered, a motion is in order to remove the matter from the table. B. To adjourn. This motion is always in order except when a speaker has the floor, during roll call, or immediately after it has been voted down. It requires a majority vote. C. The previous question. This motion is used to close debate and may be made by any Legislator when debate has become long drawn out. It is made in the following manner: "Mr. President, I move the previous question." Without a second the Presiding Officer then asks the Legislative body, "Shall debate be closed and the question now be put?" The Clerk then calls the full roll call, and if two-thirds (2/3) of those present vote in the affirmative, the question under debate and then before the Legislative body is immediately voted upon in the usual manner without further debate.

Section 545-19 Voting

All voting on local laws, resolutions and motions shall be by voice vote, in the following manner:

A. The Clerk shall call the roll on every occasion when requested to do so by any Legislator.

B. No Legislator shall leave his/her seat, refuse to vote, or abstain from voting on a local law, resolution or motion unless excused from voting pursuant to this rule. No Legislator shall speak during roll call except to request to be excused from voting.

- C. Any Legislator requesting to be excused from voting shall make a brief statement of the reasons for making such a request, and the Presiding Officer shall excuse from voting any member who, in the opinion of the Presiding Officer, has a direct personal or pecuniary interest in the matter to be voted upon.
- D. Any Legislator desiring to leave the meeting shall first obtain permission from the Presiding Officer.
- E. A majority of the total Legislature (i.e., 15 votes) is required to pass any local law, resolution or motion, except where otherwise required by law, or stated in these Rules. When the number of votes cast for and against any proposition is equally divided, the question shall be deemed to be lost, except in the case of an appeal of the decision of the Chair, as set forth in Section 545-17F.

ARTICLE V, STANDING COMMITTEES

Section 545-20 Appointments

A. The members of the following standing committees shall be appointed by the President within twenty (20) days after his/her election at the organizational meeting of the Legislature:

- (1) Agenda/Charter
- (2) Environment and Public Works
- (3) Human Services
- (4) Intergovernmental Relations
- (5) Planning and Economic Development
- (6) Public Safety
- (7) Recreation and Education
- (8) Transportation
- (9) Ways and Means
- B. The Legislature may create and abolish such standing committees as it deems appropriate. All members of the Legislature shall serve on a minimum of one (1) standing committee and all standing committees shall consist of at least five (5) members of the Legislature.
- C. The following shall be the functions of the above named standing committees:

Standing Committee - Responsibilities/Administrative Oversight

Agenda/Charter

Revisions to the Monroe County Charter and Administrative Code; Rules of the Monroe County Legislature, Procedures; Appointments to County Boards and Commissions; Work Programs for the Legislature.

Environment and Public Works

Environmental problems, concerns and related programs, such as, but not limited to, land use and open space studies; Environmental Management Council (EMC); Department of Environmental Services; drainage and sanitation; solid waste disposal; recycling; landfill; hazardous materials; pure waters; health and environmental impact studies and public works projects and related programs; Greater Rochester International Airport; engineering; Water Authority; buildings and grounds.

Human Services

Social Services and related programs, agencies; Office for the Aging, and related programs, agencies; Public Health Department and related programs, agencies; Mental Health Department and related programs, agencies; Monroe Community Hospital; Medical Examiner; Veterans' Services Agency; Rochester/Monroe County Youth Bureau; Human Relations Commission.

Intergovernmental Relations

Issues related to the intergovernmental relationships among County, City, Towns, Villages, States, Federal Governments.

Planning and Economic Development

Planning Department and related programs, agencies; Community Development; Economic Development; Industrial Development Agency; Cultural District; Tourism; Job Training Programs; Agricultural Districts; Lake Shore and Bay Development; Energy and Environmental Management Council; Comprehensive Development Plan.

Public Safety

Public Safety and related programs, agencies; Sheriff's Department, DWI, Probation, District Attorney, Public Defender; Fire Bureau, Mutual Aid, Arson Control; Traffic Safety; Emergency Preparedness; Public Safety Communications, 911; Public Safety Laboratory; Jails, Contracts; Weights and Measures.

Recreation and Education

Recreation and related programs, agencies; Parks, Conservation; Education and related programs, agencies; Monroe Community College; Monroe County Library System; Special Events, the Arts, Zoo.

Transportation

Transportation issues and related agencies; Roads; Traffic Signals, Street Lighting; Bridges, RGRTA.

Ways and Means

Financial, Budgetary Matters, Capital Improvement Program, County Budget; OTB, County Clerk.

D. Oversight Responsibilities. It shall be the responsibility of each standing committee to exercise oversight of those departments, agencies, boards and commissions within its jurisdiction. Such oversight shall include but is not limited to the following: An annual review with the head of each agency of the agency's past and present work program; a review of the agency's annual budget submission; a periodic review and evaluation of each agency's programs as to their effectiveness and compliance with legislative direction and intent.

Section 545-21 Special Committees

In accordance with Section C2-4 of the Monroe County Charter, the President shall appoint the members and chairpersons of such special committees, task forces, study commissions and other such groups as may be created by the Legislature, subject to confirmation by the Legislature.

Section 545-22 Procedure

The procedure under which committees shall operate shall be as follows:

- A. In accordance with Section C2-9 of the Monroe County Charter, each standing or special committee shall meet at the call of its chairperson at a time and place to be designated in the meeting notice.
- B. Committees shall operate under the Rules of the Legislature except that to be recognized a member need not stand but may raise his/her hand, and the member may speak while seated.
- C. In accordance with the State Open Meetings Law, meetings of committees shall be public except when, by a vote of a majority of the members of the committee, the committee shall meet in executive session.
- D. In accordance with the State Open Meetings Law, minutes of all committee meetings shall be made public and shall promptly be furnished to Legislators.
- E. The chairperson of each committee shall possess the same powers with respect to his/her committee as possessed by the Presiding Officer of the Legislature, except where otherwise set forth in these Rules.
- F. The chairperson of each committee shall determine the agenda for each of his/her committee meetings, unless a majority of all said committee members request further material be added to the agenda. Notwithstanding the above, all matters which have been referred to a committee by the President or Presiding Officer shall be placed on the agenda of such committee at its next meeting.
- G. The chairperson of a committee shall have the power to hold or postpone action on any item that is on such committee's agenda in the absence of an objection from any member of the committee.

Section 545-23 Reports of Committees

Committees may report to the Legislature in two (2) ways:

A. Formal Reports. Formal reports of committees shall be in writing with the names of the members concurring in or dissenting from such report endorsed thereon, and they shall be read in the regular order of business as provided in Section 545-14G.

B. Informal Reports. Informal reports of committees shall consist of a favorable recommendation of a resolution or local law which shall be reported in detail in the minutes of the committee meeting, but which recommendation need only be endorsed at the foot of each local law or resolution so recommended.

Section 545-24 All Matters to be Referred to Committees

A. All resolutions and local laws shall be referred to a standing or special committee of the Legislature for consideration before being considered by the Legislature, except the following:

- (1) A resolution approving a bond issue of another municipality or special district;
- (2) A resolution confirming an appointment made by the President;
- (3) A resolution or local law with a statement of urgency endorsed thereon by the President or Presiding Officer (as to which a motion to commit under Section 545-17C lies); or
- (4) A resolution or local law excused from this rule by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of all Legislators (i.e., twenty).
- B. All matters referred to committee shall be referred by the President or Presiding Officer.
- C. Normally, referrals to committee shall be made at a preceding meeting of the Legislature, but referrals need not be made at a meeting of the Legislature if, at the discretion of the President or Presiding Officer, the matter is of sufficient importance to warrant its referral between Legislative meetings.
- D. No resolution or local law which has been referred to committee shall be acted upon by the Legislature unless it shall have been reported upon favorably by a standing or special committee of the Legislature to which such resolution or local law has been referred, unless such resolution or local law has been discharged in accordance with Section 545-17G.
- E. If a matter is referred to more than one (1) committee, the President or Presiding Officer shall designate a lead committee. If conflicting reports or recommendations have been made by two (2) or more committees concerning matters which have been referred to such committees, the report or recommendation of the lead committee shall be the report or recommendation introduced to the Legislature for consideration.

ARTICLE VI, LOCAL LAWS, RESOLUTIONS, COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS

Section 545-25 Twenty-four Hour Filing Requirement

All local laws and resolutions to be presented to the Legislature shall be filed with the Clerk or Deputy Clerk by 10:00 a.m. on the last business day preceding the meeting at which such matter shall be introduced. The Clerk shall make copies of all local laws and resolutions (and such communications and petitions as may be requested by a Legislator) and make them available to all Legislators prior to the beginning of each day's session.

Section 545-26 Form and Contents

A. All local laws, resolutions, communications and petitions shall be filed in conventional written form. The Clerk shall decline to receive any paper for filing unless it is legible. No local law or resolution may be filed which is substantially the same as a local law or resolution then pending before or previously submitted to the Legislature or one of its committees. Each local law or resolution shall contain a single subject matter. B. All local laws, resolutions, communications and petitions submitted to the Legislature for consideration shall include within their text a statement as to the fiscal impact such items would have on the revenues or expenses, or both, of the budget of Monroe County, as well as the value of any resources required to study or determine the feasibility of enacting each such item. In the event that there is no fiscal impact, the same shall be stated.

Section 545-27 Public Hearings for Local Laws

A. Resolutions shall be adopted in accordance with the procedure set forth in Section C2-7 of the Monroe County Charter.

B. Local Laws shall be adopted in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section C2-7 of the Monroe County Charter and Section A4-5 of the Monroe County Administrative Code.

Section 545-28 References by the President

The President or Presiding Officer may refer any communication or petition to a standing or special committee of the Legislature to consider and report thereon.

Section 545-29 Captions and Summaries

All resolutions and local laws which do not bear a title when filed with the Clerk shall be appropriately entitled by the Clerk before being presented to the Legislature.

ARTICLE VII, MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Section 545-30 Construction of Rules

These Rules are to be liberally construed to maintain the dignity and order of the Legislature. When these Rules are silent on a point of order, the current edition of Robert's Rules of Order shall control.

Section 545-31 Amendments

Any rule may be adopted, amended or rescinded by vote of a majority of all Legislators (i.e., 15), in accordance with the following procedure. Any proposed adoption, amendment or rescission of a rule shall be in writing, shall be communicated to all Legislators in writing, and thereafter shall be referred to the Agenda/Charter Committee for consideration before being considered by the Legislature. No proposed adoption, amendment or rescission of a rule shall be acted upon by the Legislature unless it shall have been reported upon favorably by the Agenda/Charter Committee, or, after said Committee shall have had at least seven (7) calendar days to consider such proposal, it is discharged from said Committee in accordance with Section 545-17G. The procedure for adopting, amending or rescinding a rule shall not be subject to a motion to suspend the rules under Section 545-32.

Section 545-32 Suspension of Rules

Except as otherwise set forth herein, any rules may be suspended by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of all Legislators (i.e., 20).

Section 545-33 Prior Rules Repealed

All previous acts, rules or resolutions or parts thereof inconsistent with these Rules are hereby rescinded and repealed.

Section 545-34 Severability

In the event one or more rules or subdivisions of these Rules are declared unlawful or unconstitutional, such declaration shall not invalidate all of the Rules, but only those specifically declared unlawful or unconstitutional.

Section 545-35 Copies to be Printed

The Clerk shall have copies of these Rules printed and made available to Legislators, Staff, and the public.

Section 545-36 Reallocation of Majority/Minority Budget

The Legislature shall appropriate annually an amount for the operation of both the Republican and Democrat Staff Offices. Such appropriations shall be based on each division's percentage representation in the Legislative body as of the Organizational Meeting of the County Legislature held in accordance with Section 545-2.

THE LEGISLATIVE PROCESS

Many people in the community often ask how the legislative process in Monroe County works. We hope that you find the following brief explanation helpful and informative:

- 1. A Monroe County Legislator or the County Executive gets an idea based on local needs, county wide needs or information from constituents. These ideas are put in writing over the signature of the Legislator or County Executive. These communications can seek to create new laws, amend or repeal existing laws, provide authorization or funding for county projects and programs or simply request authorization.
- 2. The communication is submitted to the Clerk of the Legislature for processing. The President of the Legislature refers the communication to one or more of the nine standing committees of the Legislature. The Referral is then given a number and printed.
- 3. The Referral is placed on the agenda of the standing committee(s) to which it has been assigned. The Referral must be moved and seconded in committee in order to be considered. The Referral is discussed and then either voted on, referred to the County Administration for more information, tabled or filed.
- 4. If the Referral is adopted in committee, it is then sent before the full Monroe County Legislature for consideration. Again, the Referral must first be moved and seconded. Once it is introduced, the 29 members of the Legislature have an opportunity to discuss the Referral. Legislators may offer amendments to the Referral at this time. The Referral is then either adopted by the Legislature, tabled or sent back to committee for more information. Most Referrals require a simple majority vote in order to be adopted, however, if the Referral requires bonding authority then a two-thirds majority (20 votes) is required.
- 5. If the Referral is passed by the full Legislature, it is henceforth known as a Resolution of the Legislature or a Local Law and receives a number. Resolutions and Local Laws are sent to the County Executive for approval. If the County Executive Vetoes a Resolution or Local Law which required a simple majority to be adopted, it may still go into effect provided that three-fifths (18) of the 29 Legislators vote to Override the Veto. A Veto Override of a Resolution or Local Law which required a two-thirds majority to be adopted demands a vote of three-fourths (22) of the entire Legislature.

MONROE COUNTY EMBLEM

The emblem of the County of Monroe consists of a circle with a center symbolizing the City of Rochester as the county seat with nineteen spokes radiating outward to represent the nineteen towns in Monroe County.

The hub or center is divided into four quadrants portraying government, education, industry and agriculture.

The upper left quadrant illustrates the Civic Center buildings representing public services. Underneath the structures are wavy lines symbolizing the Genesee River and Lake Ontario.

The upper right quadrant displays the lamp of knowledge representing the importance of learning and education in Monroe County.

The lower right quadrant depicts lenses, diaphragm and gears which symbolize the skilled workforce in the county along with the industries that were founded here.

The lower left quadrant reveals a fruit tree superimposed over an outline of the county which illustrates the impact of agriculture historically in the county.

The emblem is featured on the county flag and is used for official government purposes. It is appropriate to feature the emblem on the cover of this directory given its wide distribution throughout Monroe County.

The information provided in this directory is accurate as of its date of printing, January 23, 2012. Any changes will be reflected in the year 2013 directory. We encourage you to notify us of any changes within this directory by contacting the Monroe County Legislature Clerk's Office, 39 West Main Street, 407 COB, Rochester, NY 14614-1476, (585) 753-1950, FAX (585) 753-1932.